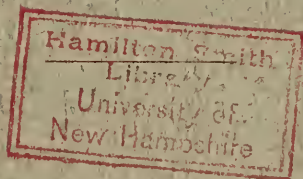


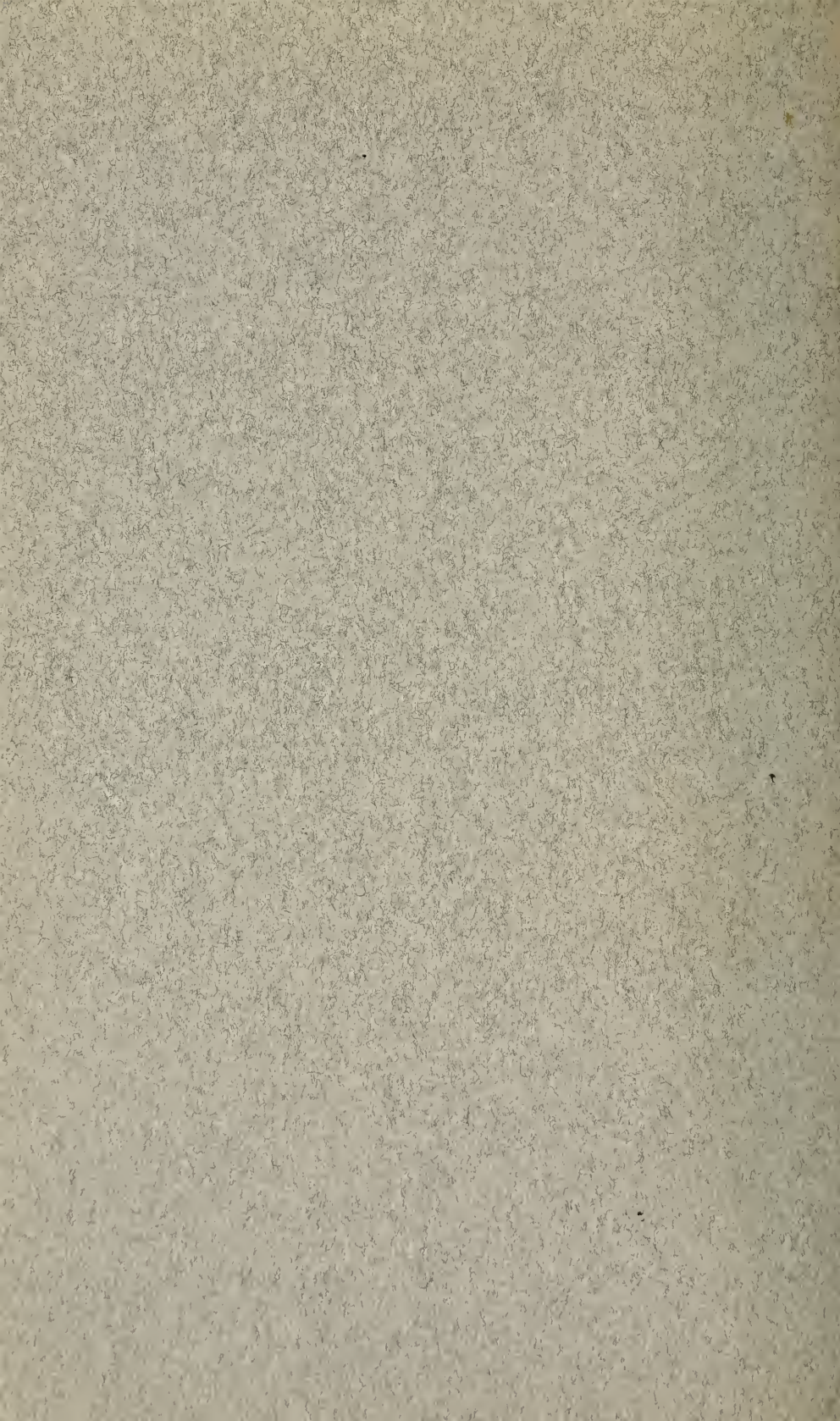
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TOWN WARRANT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

[L. S.] *To the inhabitants of the Town of Sandown qualified to vote in town affairs.*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House on the Second Tuesday of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects :

1. To choose a town clerk.
2. To choose three selectmen.
3. To choose a town treasurer.
4. To choose one or more road agents.
5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for repair of highways.
6. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for town charges.
7. To see how much money the town will vote for memorial day.
8. To see how much money the town will vote for old home week.
9. By request of Alva S. Sanborn and nine other legal voters, to see if the town will vote to sell their timber lot.
10. To see if the town will vote to divide the interest of the parsonage fund among the various denominations in proportion to their taxes.
11. To choose all necessary town officers.
12. To act upon any business that may come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this sixteenth day of February, 1905.

JAMES F. SARGENT,
CHARLES H. KNIGHTS,
JOHN S. COLBY,

Selectmen of Sandown.

A true copy of Warrant.

Attest,

JAMES F. SARGENT,
CHARLES H. KNIGHTS,
JOHN S. COLBY.

Selectmen of Sandown.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Moderator—James F. Sargent.

Town Clerk—Amos S. Clark.

Selectmen—James F. Sargent, Charles H. Knights, John S. Colby.

Treasurer—John W. Lovering.

Road Agents—Elwin C. Mills, Beede H. Rowell, Woodbury S. Pervere.

School Board—John D. Kelley, Jennie M. Lovering, Samuel H. Morse.

Trustees of Public Library—Alva S. Sanborn, Elwin C. Mills, Clarence I. Drowne.

Supervisors of Check List—Henry E. Rand, Alva S. Sanborn, Fred W. Brown.

Board of Health—Smith A. Rowell, Elwin C. Mills.

Auditor—Clarence I. Drowne.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF SANDOWN.

| | | |
|--|-------------|--------------|
| Polls, 104, | \$10,400 00 | |
| Improved and unimproved lands and buildings, | 124,660 00 | |
| Horses, 76, | 3,760 00 | |
| Oxen, 16, | 820 00 | |
| Cows, 133, | 3,142 00 | |
| Other neat stock, 39, | 625 00 | |
| Sheep, 2, | 8 00 | |
| Hogs, 9, | 90 00 | |
| Vehicles, 12, | 650 00 | |
| Bank stocks, | 1,500 00 | |
| Mills, | 2,250 00 | |
| Stock in trade, | 8,065 00 | |
| | ————— | \$155,970 00 |
| Amount of taxes levied for all purposes, | | \$2,808 27 |
| Rate per cent. of taxation for all purposes, 1.80. | | |

APPROPRIATIONS.

| | | |
|-------------------|----------|------------|
| State tax, | \$192 00 | |
| County tax, | 553 50 | |
| Town charges, | 500 00 | |
| School money, | 564 00 | |
| Highways, | 600 00 | |
| Grand Army money, | 25 00 | |
| Library, | 21 00 | |
| Snow paths, | 300 00 | |
| Overlay, | 52 77 | |
| | ————— | \$2,808 27 |

EXPENDITURES.

| | |
|---------------------|----------|
| Paid miscellaneous, | \$179 50 |
| town officers, | 334 63 |

| | |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| Paid county poor, | \$609 69 |
| dependent soldiers, | 6 00 |
| transient poor, | 26 50 |
| school books and supplies, | 55 08 |
| tuition, | 44 00 |
| state tax, | 192 00 |
| county tax, | 553 50 |
| school money, | 634 55 |
| notes, | 1,047 50 |
| for land bought for taxes, | 151 38 |
| for repairs to Hunt road, | 107 11 |
| E. C. Mills, road agent, 1904, | 296 98 |
| W. S. Pervere, " 1904, | 357 49 |
| B. H. Rowell, " 1904, | 211 72 |
| J. H. Grainger, " 1903, | 98 58 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$4.906 21 |

J. H. GRAINGER. SNOW PATH.

| | |
|----------------------|--------|
| Paid J. H. Grainger, | \$8 45 |
| " " horse, | 10 75 |
| B. H. Rowell, | 6 45 |
| " " | 6 80 |
| H. T. Grover, | 8 02 |
| Willie Grover, | 5 70 |
| Dan Hoyt, | 5 92 |
| Ross Hoyt, | 8 85 |
| J. E. Hoyt, | 4 95 |
| Elwin Bailey, | 75 |
| Alden Bailey, | 3 75 |
| Forrest Bailey, | 2 70 |
| George Rowell, | 3 80 |
| Henry Rand, | 1 20 |
| George Critchett, | 2 92 |
| John Rowell, | 2 85 |
| Frank Helley, | 1 75 |
| Bert Fitts, | 1 05 |
| Herb. Woodward, | 45 |

| | | |
|-----------------------|--------|---------|
| Paid Elbridge Walker, | \$1 05 | |
| George Williston, | 2 85 | |
| “ “ horse, | 60 | |
| Joseph LeClaire, | 1 70 | |
| Isaac LeClaire, | 75 | |
| Edward True, | 52 | |
| Frank Coombs, | 45 | |
| Walt Kelley, | 45 | |
| | <hr/> | \$95 48 |

J. H. GRAINGER, ROAD AGENT.

1903.

| | | |
|------------------|--------|--------|
| Dynamite. | \$2 00 | |
| Fuse, | 15 | |
| Caps. | 20 | |
| Repairing chain, | 75 | |
| | <hr/> | \$3 10 |

E. C. MILLS, ROAD AGENT.

| | | |
|-----------------------------|--------|----------|
| Unexpended money of 1903. | \$1 75 | |
| Received of town treasurer, | 186 25 | |
| | <hr/> | \$188 00 |

| | | |
|-----------------------|--------|----------|
| Paid Clarence George. | \$8 95 | |
| James E. Hoyt, | 7 00 | |
| Walter Worthen, | 4 50 | |
| John S. Colby, | 8 75 | |
| F. B. Brown. | 22 50 | |
| H. C. George, | 6 75 | |
| Gilman Brown, | 4 50 | |
| Harry McConnekee. | 1 50 | |
| John G. Goodwin, | 25 25 | |
| George Plumer. | 3 00 | |
| Herbert M. Mills, | 57 00 | |
| Elwin C. Mills, | 38 30 | |
| | <hr/> | \$188 00 |

E. C. MILLS, SNOW PATHS, 1904-1905.

| | | |
|------------------------------|--------|----------|
| Paid A. S. Sanborn and team. | \$7 80 | |
| Bartlett Worthen, | 2 70 | |
| Clarence George, | 7 18 | |
| Walter Worthen, | 4 05 | |
| John F. Bartlett, | 2 55 | |
| G. E. Brown, | 3 23 | |
| Francellus Brown, | 5 70 | |
| A. E. Pillsbury and team. | 3 20 | |
| John G. Goodwin and team, | 16 40 | |
| Jacob Silloway, | 3 22 | |
| B. S. Lovering, | 1 12 | |
| J. S. Colby, | 4 73 | |
| J. I. Mayo, | 3 30 | |
| F. H. Mayo, | 3 00 | |
| C. W. Goodwin and team, | 9 75 | |
| Herbert M. Mills and team, | 12 75 | |
| Elwin C. Mills and team, | 20 05 | |
| | <hr/> | \$110 73 |

B. H. ROWELL, ROAD AGENT.

| | |
|--------------------|---------|
| Paid H. T. Grover, | \$10 07 |
| C. H. Smith, | 9 75 |
| F. B. Lovett, | 5 19 |
| D. E. Hoit, | 5 89 |
| Eugene True, | 6 45 |
| R. S. True, | 1 20 |
| J. Williston, | 11 20 |
| C. Woodward, | 1 05 |
| A. H. Bailey, | 2 10 |
| A. C. Merrick, | 2 10 |
| — Butler, | 1 90 |
| E. B. Hoyt, | 4 63 |
| H. E. Rand, | 4 88 |
| H. Woodward, | 55 |
| G. Woodward, | 40 |
| E. Pervere, | 75 |

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|-----------------|--------|----------|
| Paid G. Rowell, | \$3 12 | |
| Forrest Bailey, | 1 45 | |
| C. A. Fitts, | 60 | |
| J. S. Rowell, | 18 24 | |
| S. A. Rowell, | 12 06 | |
| B. H. Rowell, | 84 37 | |
| H. M. Kelley, | 1 50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$179 45 |

B. H. ROWELL, MAKING SNOW PATHS.

| | | |
|----------------------|--------|---------|
| Paid Forrest Bailey, | \$1 35 | |
| Isaiah Bailey, | 45 | |
| Alden Bailey, | 30 | |
| Willie Grover, | 50 | |
| George Critchett, | 1 05 | |
| E. B. Hoyt, | 4 15 | |
| J. S. Rowell, | 3 52 | |
| G. E. Rowell, | 4 30 | |
| B. H. Rowell, | 15 20 | |
| Joseph Jacobs, | 1 45 | |
| | <hr/> | \$32 27 |

W. S. PERVERE, ROAD AGENT.

| | | |
|------------------|--------|--|
| Paid W. M. Carr, | \$8 25 | |
| C. W. Tilton, | 13 65 | |
| B. F. Phillips, | 3 60 | |
| B. Sanborn, | 10 15 | |
| J. Sleeper, | 1 65 | |
| J. E. Hoyt, | 15 00 | |
| A. J. Sleeper, | 34 17 | |
| F. Hunt, | 30 | |
| A. Merrick, | 1 50 | |
| J. Cavanagh, | 4 05 | |
| E. B. Hoyt, | 3 50 | |
| C. R. Hoyt, | 1 50 | |
| H. T. Grover, | 1 50 | |

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|-------------------|--------|----------|
| Paid L. LeClaire, | \$6 75 | |
| C. H. Smith, | 21 00 | |
| W. S. Tilton, | 3 00 | |
| R. K. Hooke, | 3 35 | |
| C. H. Knights, | 2 80 | |
| B. Seeley, | 1 50 | |
| W. S. Pervere, | 31 55 | |
| | <hr/> | \$168 77 |

BY SELECTMEN'S ORDERS.

| | | |
|--------------------|--------|---------|
| Paid C. W. Tilton, | \$6 00 | |
| B. Sanborn, | 2 50 | |
| J. Hoyt, | 7 25 | |
| A. J. Sleeper, | 9 35 | |
| E. B. Hoyt, | 7 00 | |
| L. LeClaire, | 3 00 | |
| C. H. Knights, | 6 00 | |
| W. S. Pervere, | 9 00 | |
| J. D. Kelley, | 2 90 | |
| | <hr/> | \$53 00 |

W. S. PERVERE, SNOW PATHS, 1904-05.

| | | |
|--------------------|--------|--|
| Paid C. W. Tilton, | \$5 18 | |
| H. C. Tilton, | 2 48 | |
| W. S. Tilton, | 2 93 | |
| W. E. Hathaway, | 60 | |
| C. I. Drowne, | 8 50 | |
| A. J. Sleeper, | 22 72 | |
| J. F. Sargent, | 2 33 | |
| J. M. Phillips, | 5 95 | |
| J. Cavanagh, | 4 88 | |
| M. Young, | 1 90 | |
| J. W. Lovering, | 15 80 | |
| C. S. Beades, | 25 05 | |
| B. Sanborn, | 4 50 | |
| W. M. Carr, | 2 05 | |

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|----------------|--------|----------|
| Paid F. Hunt, | \$1 05 | |
| A. S. Clark, | 3 82 | |
| J. Silloway, | 90 | |
| J. Hunkins, | 3 80 | |
| J. P. Hunkins, | 1 73 | |
| E. C. Fitts, | 1 25 | |
| R. H. Sanborn, | 1 50 | |
| P. Knights, | 1 00 | |
| H. H. Hodgman, | 90 | |
| W. S. Pervere, | 6 45 | |
| R. K. Hooke, | 8 78 | |
| | <hr/> | \$136 08 |

MISCELLANEOUS.

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------|--|
| Paid Judge Leavitt, advice on assess- | | |
| ment of school money, | \$2 00 | |
| express on books. | 1 65 | |
| telephoning, | 50 | |
| express on parts of road ma- | | |
| chine and books, | 1 65 | |
| A. S. Sanborn, Grand Army | | |
| money, | 13 08 | |
| G. E. Brown, in Frankie Colby | | |
| case, | 2 25 | |
| G. W. Tibbetts, parts of road | | |
| machine, | 9 50 | |
| F. E. Cole & Co., printing | | |
| town reports, | 22 00 | |
| Alden E. Pillsbury, rebate of | | |
| school money. | 8 75 | |
| Frank Hunt, work on Eleanor | | |
| Bagley lot, | 5 00 | |
| J. H. Colby, making guide | | |
| board, | 1 00 | |
| J. D. Kelley, express on books | | |
| and demurrage on same, | 2 80 | |
| E. C. Eastman, town books, | 7 78 | |

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|--|--------|----------|
| Paid C. E. Follett, work on highway, | \$1 35 | |
| telephoning in Martin case, | 40 | |
| G. E. Brown, digging grave, | 3 00 | |
| A. S. Sanborn, planks, | 11 13 | |
| J. G. Goodwin, driving hearse, | 10 00 | |
| J. W. Lovering, guide board posts, | 1 50 | |
| J. H. Hardy, drawing and housing road machine, | 2 00 | |
| Temple & Farrington Co., books, | 19 67 | |
| S. M. Sherwin, atlas, | 5 75 | |
| Mrs. W. E. Hathaway, watering tub, | 3 00 | |
| H. E. Rand, watering tub, | 2 25 | |
| Estate of A. J. George, watering tub, | 3 00 | |
| J. M. Phillips, watering tub, | 3 00 | |
| A. S. Sanborn, " " | 3 00 | |
| S. D. Fellows, " " | 3 00 | |
| A. S. Clark, agt., Methodist money, | 11 79 | |
| A. S. Sanborn, agt., Universalist money, | 16 50 | |
| William Morrill, deeds, | 1 20 | |
| | <hr/> | \$179 50 |

COUNTY POOR.

| | |
|------------------------------------|---------|
| Paid on account of Mary J. Colby : | |
| C. H. Brown, goods, | \$28 78 |
| C. W. George, fitting wood, | 3 50 |
| Mrs. A. M. White, nurse, 3 months, | 15 00 |
| W. A. Allen, medical attendance | 18 25 |
| A. S. Clark, wood, | 8 00 |

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|--------------------------------------|---------|
| Paid C. H. Brown, goods, | \$27 65 |
| “ “ “ | 27 71 |
| Mrs. A. M. White, nurse, 3 months, | 15 00 |
| C. H. Brown, goods, | 27 37 |
| J. G. Goodwin, wood, | 9 56 |
| Mrs. A. M. White, nurse, 3 months, | 15 00 |
| C. H. Brown, goods, | 25 54 |
| W.A.Allen, medical attendance | 21 50 |
| C. H. Brown, goods, | 27 14 |
| J. G. Goodwin, wood, | 10 00 |
| Mrs. A. M. White, nurse, 3 months, | 15 00 |
| Paid on account of H. G. Blake : | |
| C. H. Brown, goods, | 11 65 |
| W. A. Allen, medical attendance, | 17 25 |
| C. H. Brown, goods, | 11 39 |
| “ “ “ | 10 70 |
| “ “ “ | 10 85 |
| H. C. George, cutting wood, | 3 75 |
| C. H. Brown, goods, | 13 09 |
| W. A. Allen, medical attendance, | 15 50 |
| C. H. Brown, goods, | 12 15 |
| Paid on account of G. S. Martin : | |
| G. R. Bennette, medical attendance, | 18 75 |
| G. W. Baker, goods, | 24 00 |
| “ “ “ | 52 50 |
| H. T. Grover, wood and fitting same, | 15 00 |
| G. R. Bennette, medical attendance, | 20 00 |
| G. W. Baker, goods, | 15 66 |
| J. G. Goodwin, wood, | 3 00 |
| William Woods, attendant. | 10 00 |

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|--------------------------------------|--------|----------|
| Paid A. S. Sanborn, clothing, | \$1 20 | |
| E. T. Brown, burial, | 25 00 | |
| J. S. Colby, wood, | 1 25 | |
| Paid on account of Minnie Woodward : | | |
| W. A. Allen, medical attend- | | |
| ance, | 10 00 | |
| Mrs. Jos. Williston, nurse, | 12 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$609 69 |

DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

| | | |
|----------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Paid E. W. Lowe, medical attend- | | |
| ance, G. G. Sanborn, | \$6 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$6 00 |

TRANSIENT POOR.

| | | |
|---------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Paid C. H. Sargent, lodging and | | |
| feeding 53 persons, | \$26 50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$26 50 |

TOWN OFFICERS.

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|--------|--|
| Paid W. S. Pervere, special police, | \$3 50 | |
| A. M. McLaren, ballot clerk, | 2 00 | |
| Isaac LeClaire, “ | 2 00 | |
| E. C. Mills, “ | 2 00 | |
| “ “ police, | 2 00 | |
| E. C. Fitts, janitor town house | | |
| and repairs to same, | 5 00 | |
| S. H. Morse, truant officer, | 5 00 | |
| J. F. Sargent, postage and sta- | | |
| tionery, | 1 46 | |
| J. F. Sargent, selectman's ex- | | |
| penses, | 13 95 | |
| J. F. Sargent, expense paying | | |
| state tax, Concord, | 3 50 | |

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| Paid J. F. Sargent, perambulating Derry and Fremont lines, | \$1 50 |
| J. F. Sargent, revising juror box | 75 |
| " " juror meeting, | 75 |
| " " overseer of poor, | 5 00 |
| " " moderator, | 4 00 |
| " " selectman, | 40 00 40.00 |
| C. H. Knights, in G. S. Martin case, | 5 00 |
| C. H. Knights, in Frankie Colby case, | 1 15 |
| C. H. Knights, selectman's ex- penses, | 3 75 |
| C. H. Knights, perambulating Derry and Fremont lines, | 2 50 |
| C.H.Knights, juror meeting, | 75 |
| " " revising juror box | 75 |
| " " police service, | 2 00 |
| " " telephoning, | 25 |
| " " selectman, | 9 75 |
| J. S. Colby, perambulating Derry and Fremont lines, | 1 50 |
| J. S. Colby, juror meeting. | 75 |
| " " revising juror box, | 75 |
| " " selectman, | 11 25 |
| J. W. Lovering, treasurer, | 20 00 |
| A. S. Clark, town clerk and expenses, | 21 75 |
| A. S. Sanborn, librarian, | 20 00 |
| Benning Sanborn, tax collector | 56 17 |
| C. I. Drowne, auditor, | 3 00 |
| E. C. Fitt, supervisor, | 8 00 |
| W. S. Tilton, " | 8 00 |
| A. S. Sanborn, " | 8 00 |
| J. D. Kelly, member of school board, | 12 00 |
| Jennie M. Lovering, member of school board, | 10 00 |

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|--|----------------|
| Paid S. H. Morse, member of school board, | \$10 00 |
| John F. Bartlett, member of board of health and expenses | 16 50 |
| G. S. Sanborn, member of board of health, | 5 15 |
| S. A. Rowell, member of board of health, | 3 50 |
| | <hr/> \$334 63 |

SELECTMEN'S WORK ON HUNT ROAD.

| | |
|----------------------|----------------|
| Paid A. J. Sleeper, | \$17 90 |
| Beverly Seeley, | 6 37 |
| Isaac LeClaire, | 2 45 |
| Isaac N. A. McKay, | 9 10 |
| Louis LeClaire, | 7 70 |
| Francellus M. Brown, | 9 50 |
| James E. Hoyt, | 6 95 |
| Jeremiah Cavanaugh, | 6 45 |
| Charles W. Tilton. | 6 30 |
| James H. Hardy, | 7 65 |
| Charles H. Knights. | 8 35 |
| John S. Colby, | 10 00 |
| James F. Sargent, | 8 39 |
| | <hr/> \$107 11 |

SCHOOL BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

| | |
|---------------------------------|---------------|
| Paid G. F. King, supplies, | \$16 33 |
| Ginn & Co., books bought, 1903, | 27 58 |
| D. C. Heath & Co., books, | 11 17 |
| | <hr/> \$55 08 |

TUITION.

| | |
|-------------------------------------|---------|
| Paid A. C. Chase, tuition for Alice | |
| B. Kimball, | \$10 00 |
| A. C. Chase, tuition for Ralph | |
| S. True, | 10 00 |

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|--|---------|---------|
| Paid Nashua Supt. of Schools, tuition for Musette Sanborn, | \$24 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$44 00 |

ASSETS.

| | | |
|---|----------|------------|
| Held by deed on 1888 list, | \$5 82 | |
| “ “ 1889 “ | 3 90 | |
| Due on unredeemed lands, 1895, | 1 75 | |
| “ “ “ 1896, | 1 51 | |
| “ “ “ 1900, | 34 79 | |
| “ “ “ 1901, | 33 48 | |
| “ “ “ 1902, | 32 26 | |
| “ “ “ 1903, | 61 60 | |
| “ “ “ 1904, | 151 39 | |
| E. B. Hoyt, Collector, 1901, | 6 67 | |
| C. H. Knights list, 1902, | 8 60 | |
| “ “ “ 1903, | 1 66 | |
| Benning Sanborn, Collector, 1904, | 78 21 | |
| Deposited in Manchester Savings Bank | 1,000 00 | |
| Due from County, | 26 25 | |
| Fellows land held by deed, | | |
| Cash in treasury, | 459 01 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1.906 90 |
| Abatement of Edward Nichols' mill taxed in Newton, 1902 list, | \$6 69 | |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|------------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Literary fund, | \$32 45 | |
| Dog license, | 41 53 | |
| Universalist society, | 37 78 | |
| Congregational society, | 32 40 | |
| Episcopal society, | 2 58 | |
| Grand Army money, | 21 42 | |
| Old home week, | 25 00 | |
| Interest on Eleanor Bagley legacy, | 5 58 | |
| Parsonage fund, | 1,000 00 | |
| School fund, | 268 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1.466 74 |

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|---------------------------|------------|----------|
| Total assets, | \$1,906 90 | |
| Total liabilities, | 1,466 74 | |
| Balance in favor of town, | <hr/> | \$440 16 |
| Abatements on 1900 list, | \$4 77 | |
| " 1901 list, | 4 71 | |
| " 1903 list, | 4 98 | |
| " 1904 list, | 3 60 | |

JAMES F. SARGENT,
CHARLES H. KNIGHTS,
JOHN S. COLBY,
Selectmen of Sandown.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

During the year there have been added to the library 26 new books, including Cram's Atlas, a valuable book of reference.

CASH ACCOUNT.

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------|--------|
| Cash on hand February 15, 1904, | \$ 11 | |
| Collected for fines during the year, | 1 70 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1 80 |
| Paid town treasurer, | | 1 70 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Balance on hand February 14, 1905, | | \$ 11 |

ALVA S. SANBORN, *Librarian.*

REPORT OF J. W. LOVERING, TOWN TREASURER.

| | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| Balance in treasury, Feb. 15, 1904, | \$29 97 |
| Rec'd from B. Sanborn, Col. for 1904, | 2,726 46 |
| E. B. Hoyt, " 1900, | 15 23 |
| " " " 1901, | 36 85 |
| selectmen, | |
| redeemed lands, acct. | |
| 1900 tax list, | 4 04 |

Rec'd from selectmen,

| | | |
|--------------------------------|----------|------------|
| redeemed lands, acct. | | |
| 1902 tax list, | \$3 48 | |
| J. F. Sargent, account | | |
| 1903 tax list, | 90 45 | |
| redeemed land, 1900 list | 8 68 | |
| “ 1901 “ | 39 54 | |
| “ 1902 “ | 25 70 | |
| account grass on G. G. | | |
| Sanborn place, | 3 00 | |
| F. N. Pillsbury, for use | | |
| of road machine, | 10 00 | |
| A. S. Sanborn, library | | |
| finer, | 1 70 | |
| dog licenses, | 41 53 | |
| interest on parsonage fund, | 66 51 | |
| from state license commission- | | |
| ers, | 136 15 | |
| county, | 590 31 | |
| the state, | | |
| railroad tax, | 112 24 | |
| savings bank tax, | 122 93 | |
| literary fund, | 32 45 | |
| proportion of school | | |
| fund, | 268 00 | |
| Amount of money borrowed, | 1,000 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$5,365 22 |

EXPENDITURES.

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| Amount of selectmen's orders, | \$4,906 21 | |
| in treasury, | 459 01 | |
| | <hr/> | \$5,365 22 |

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

We were somewhat delayed in the opening of our schools in the spring. I need not state the cause, you all well know.

But I believe the delay was for the best. Instead of twenty-two weeks last year we have had the present year thirty-one.

Some still claim it impracticable in a somewhat sparsely settled township like ours to maintain a graded system of schools at the centre of the town.

The greatest obstacle to be overcome seems to be one of transportation, both in respect to its inconvenience to the pupils and the expense attending it.

If these difficulties could be overcome nothing would be of greater value to our children than the graded school system, when all the pupils of the town could attend, from the primary to the highest grammar grades.

A school like the present one of two rooms enables the school course to be divided in its execution among two competent teachers, each of whom would push along the pupils of her room to the next, until the primary pupils would emerge from the school well prepared for the high school.

The fact that nearly all the applicants for the high schools in years past have been obliged to enter the so-called preparatory course, which has not been the fault wholly of teaching done in our schools. In the ungraded schools our teachers have too many daily recitations. The recitations are much too short necessarily, so in the hurry and rush in changing classes and brief recitations almost no time can be found for extended explanations, and hence the pupil must depend too much upon the text-book and his own resources. Under

these conditions the brightest will do well but the duller ones must suffer.

The schools the past year have been as a whole satisfactory to the Board of Education, and from the requests which we have had from parents in the district to have the same teachers engaged for next year, we feel that they have given satisfaction to all interested.

More interest has been shown by the parents the past year, it seems to us, than ever before. Teachers' reports show that over two hundred visits have been made to the schools during the year.

Much credit should be given G. S. Haskell, I. N. McKay, Charles Greene, G. S. Sanborn, A. S. Sanborn and others who lent a helping hand in moving seats and furniture. This meant a saving of ten dollars.

JOHN D. KELLEY,

SAMUEL H. MORSE,

School Board of Sandown.

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| Amount of school money, | \$634 55 | |
| Cash on hand January 1, 1904, | 20 25 | |
| Contributed by J. H. Grainger, | 5 00 | |
| Contributed by Paul T. Walker, | 5 00 | |
| Contributed by C. S. Beadle, | 5 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$669 80 |

EXPENDITURES.

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| Paid F. Winifred Given, for teaching 9 weeks at \$8.00, | \$72 00 | |
| Bertha L. Hamblin, for teaching 9 weeks at \$8.00, | 72 00 | |
| Ella F. Pike, for teaching 1 week and 3 days, at \$9.00, | 12 60 | |
| Mercy Durgin, for teaching 2 weeks at \$7.00, | 14 00 | |
| Blanche Hubbard, for teaching 16 weeks at \$7.00, | 112 00 | |
| Sadie C. M. Ellis, for teaching 16 weeks at \$8.00, | 128 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$410 60 |

FOR CONVEYING SCHOLARS.

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| Paid C. S. Beadle, | \$24 00 | |
| Elijah Butler, | 32 00 | |
| S. H. Morse, | 11 00 | |
| Ella Greene, | 27 00 | |
| Colby Brothers, for lumber, | 10 62 | |
| G. E. Brown, for drawing lum- ber, | 1 00 | |
| A. S. Sanborn, for lumber and hardware, | 7 80 | |
| A. S. Clark, for insurance, | 2 00 | |
| For sawing and fitting wood, | 5 00 | |
| Anna B. Silloway, for cleaning school room, spring, | 1 50 | |
| Gregg & Son, two doors, | 4 75 | |
| For butts and locks, | 65 | |
| For glass and setting, | 50 | |
| J. G. Goodwin, 5 cords wood, | 16 00 | |
| For cleaning school room, fall, | 75 | |
| S. H. Morse, for latches, butts, hinges, boards and window, | 1 48 | |
| Sheet zinc, | 1 29 | |
| Tunning fork, | 29 | |
| Two water pails, | 50 | |
| Three brooms, | 95 | |
| For labor on school and out buildings, | 13 88 | |
| For expense to Epping, | 60 | |
| For horse to Hampstead, Ches- ter and Brentwood, | 2 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$165 56 |
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JOHN D. KELLEY,
SAMUEL H. MORSE,
School Board of Sandown.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD.

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| Balance on hand Feb. 15th, 1904, | \$20 25 | |
| Received of town treasurer, | 634 55 | |
| | <hr/> | \$654 80 |

EXPENDITURES.

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| Paid orders of school board, | 553 52 | |
| Balance in treasury, | 101 28 | |
| | <hr/> | \$654 80 |

J. W. LOVERING, *Treasurer.*

I have examined the accounts of the selectmen, treasurer, tax collector and librarian and find them correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers. I found the accounts of the road agents correctly cast and properly vouched with the exception that Mr. Grainger did not present vouchers. The accounts of the school board, as presented by Mr. Kelley, were not fully vouched, but the accounts of Mr. Lovering, treasurer of the school board, were correctly cast and properly vouched.

CLARENCE I. DROWNE,
Auditor for the year ending Feb. 15, 1905.

VITAL STATISTICS.

In compliance with Chapter 74 of the Pamphlet Laws passe June session, 1887, requiring clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the records of birth, marriages and deaths for publication, I herewith submit the following.

AMOS S. CLARK, *Town Clerk of Sandown.*

Births Registered in the Town of Sandown for the Year ending December 31, 1904.

| Date | Name of the Child (if any). | Sex and Condition. | | | Name of Father. | Maiden Name of Mother. | Occupation of Father. | Birthplace of Father. | Birthplace of Mother. |
|---------|-----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | | Male or Female | Living or Stillborn. | No. of Child, 1st, 2d, &c. | | | | | |
| Jan. 22 | —Kelley.... | M | L | 9 | Harrison M. Kelley. | Ada M. Thurston .. | Laborer | Sandown | Newton |
| April 1 | J. B. Woodard .. | " | " | 3 | Amasa Woodard ... | Minnie I. Slocum .. | " | " | Haverhill, Mass... |
| May 23 | —Kelley..... | F | " | 6 | Walter E. Kelley .. | Nellie Ingoldsby ... | " | " | Ireland |
| " 23 | P. Rosetta Brown .. | " | " | 3 | Gilman L. Brown ... | Jennie L. Clough ... | Section hand .. | " | Haverhill, Mass... |
| July 19 | S. I. Hathaway .. | " | " | 3 | W. E. Hathaway ... | Vina Hook | Shoe cutter. | Maine | Sandown |
| Aug. 5 | Joseph C. George .. | M | " | 1 | Clarence George | Ida Ladd | Laborer | Sandown | Danville |
| " 23 | —Beaubien .. | F | " | 4 | Arthur Beaubien.... | Kate M. Pervere | " | Springfield, Mass. | Sandown |

Marriages Registered in the Town of Sandown for the Year ending December 31, 1904.

| Date | Place of Marriage. | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride. | Residence of each at time of Marriage. | Age in years. | Color of each. | Occupation of Groom and Bride. | Place of Birth of each. | Name of Father. | Times Mar'd. | Name, Residence, and Official Station of Person by whom married. |
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| Jan. -20 | Sandown | Albert I. Wilson | Haverhill, M. | 22 | W | Clerk | Haverhill, Mass. | D. Laroy Wilson | 1 | Rev. L. N. Fogg, |
| " | " | Florence M. Rowell | Sandown | 20 | " | Housework | Sandown | Beede H. Rowell | 1 | Clergyman, W. Hampst'd |
| " 24 | Plaistow | Antoine Boucher | Fremont | 28 | " | Laborer | Canada | Rev. F. G. Deshautes, | 2 | Rev. F. G. Deshautes, |
| May 16 | Rochester | Alexandra LeClaire | " | 19 | " | Housework | Winchendon, Ms | Isaac LeClaire | 1 | Clergyman, Plaistow |
| | | Charles H. Brown | " | 39 | " | Station agent | Newburyport, Ms | Gilman A. Brown | 1 | Rev. A. F. Davis, |
| | | Pansy E. Gerrish | Lebanon, Me | 19 | " | Housework | Lebanon, Me | Hiram M. Gerrish | 1 | Clergyman, Rochester |
| Oct. 9 | Hampstead | Herbert W. True | Sandown | 25 | " | Carpenter | Sandown | Edwin W. True | 1 | Walter H. Woodsum, |
| | | Gertrudes Pillsbury | " | 26 | " | Housework | " | Alden E. Pillsbury | 1 | Clergyman, Hampstead |

Deaths Registered in the Town of Sandown for the Year ending December 31, 1904.

| Date | Name and Surname of the Deceased. | Age. | | | Place of Birth. | Sex and Condition. | | | Occupation. | Name of Father. | Maiden Name of Mother. | Disease, or Cause of Death. |
|---------|--------------------------------------|--------|---------|-------|-------------------|-----------------------|--------|---------------------------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|
| | | Years. | Months. | Days. | | Male or Female. | Color. | Single, Married, or Widowed. | | | | |
| Feb. 20 | Beatrice Cora Hoitt . . . | 30 | .. | .. | Springfield, Ms | F | W | M | Domestic | Currier George | Sophronia Spofford | Phthisis. |
| June 16 | Andrew J. George. . . . | 63 | 6 | 17 | Dunville. | M | W | W | Laborer | Eliphalet Hunt | Susan Webster | Disease of heart. |
| Aug. 26 | Joan C. Hunt. | 76 | .. | .. | Sandown | F | " | S | Housework | Martin Fay | | Cancer |
| Oct. 8 | Martin S. Fay. | 23 | 10 | 14 | Roxbury, Mass | M | " | " | | | | Consumption |

